

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
ASHEVILLE DIVISION

CRIMINAL NO. 1:07CR15

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA )  
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VS.                           )                                  O R D E R  
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DANA WARD RUPPE          )  
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**THIS MATTER** is before the Court on motion of defense counsel for permission to file for an interim payment of counsel fees.

For the reasons set forth in the motion and for cause shown,  
**IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED** that counsel's motion is **ALLOWED**,  
and John C. Hunter is hereby permitted to file an interim fee petition in this matter.

Signed: May 4, 2007



Lacy H. Thornburg  
United States District Judge

